



BREAKDOWN OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS March 2004

Positive Animal County
Skunk McDonald

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 3

Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 2

Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 166*

Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 1

Percent Positive This Month: 0.60%

Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 371*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies By Year
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	
Dog:	161	0	Rodent/Rabbit	15	0	2003: 43
Cat:	103	0	Other Domestic	1	0	2002: 45
Bat:	46	0	Other Wild	9	0	2001: 40
Skunk:	11	3	Exotic	0	0	2000: 50
Fox:	2	0	Unknown	0	0	1999: 31
Cow	3	0	Total	371	3	1998: 42
Horse	2	0	Counties On Alert: None			1997: 31
Ferret	0	0				1996: 26
Raccoon	18	0				1995: 30
						1994: 27
						1993: 35

*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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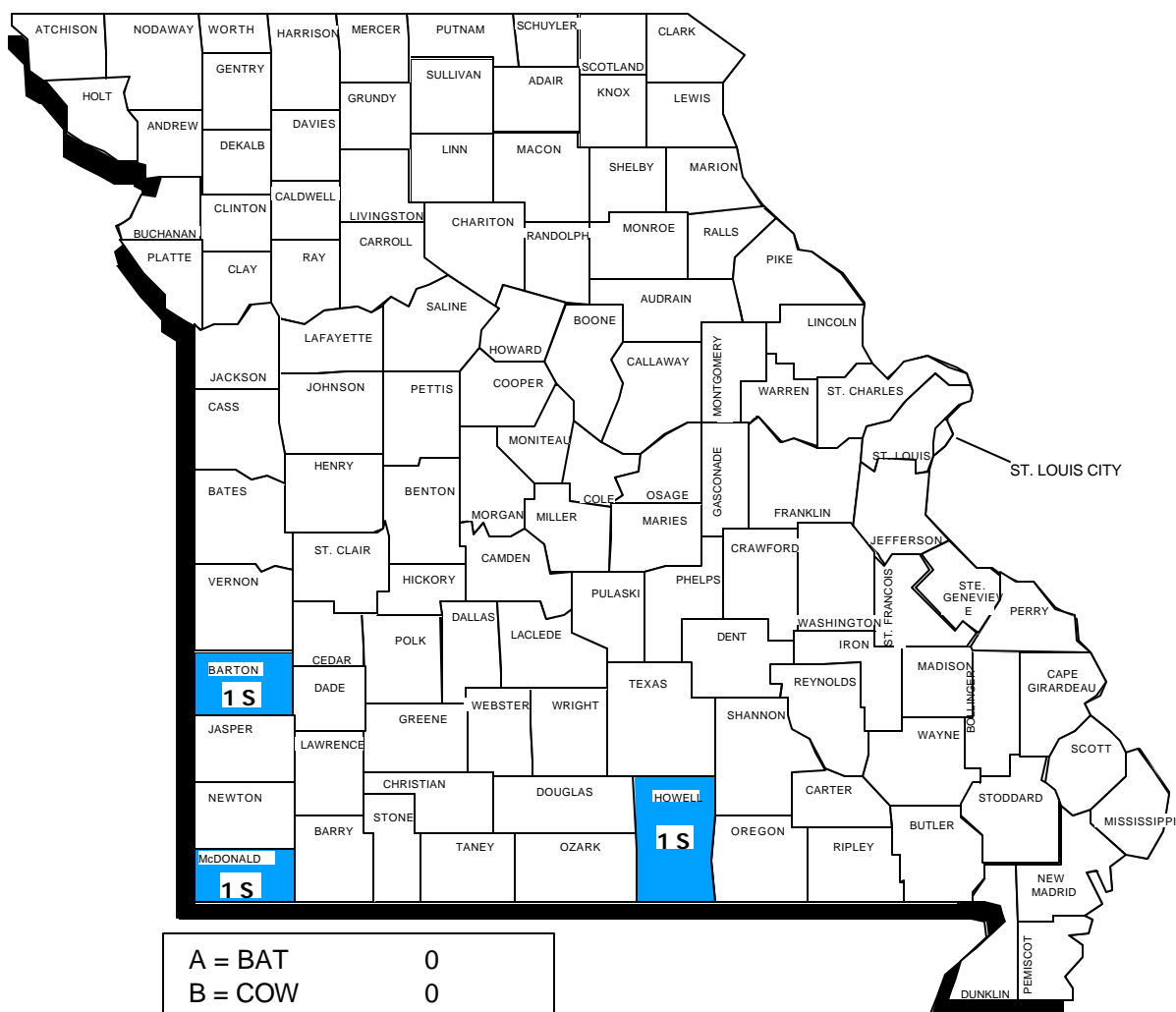
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Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri

2004



A = BAT	0
B = COW	0
C = CAT	0
D = DOG	0
F = FOX	0
H = HORSE	0
R = RACCOON	0
S = SKUNK	3
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TOTAL	3

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